

Maryland SHIP Health Action Newsletter

Friday, January 17, 2020



Webinar: ASTHO Connects - Telehealth Approaches for Treating Substance Use Disorder (SUD) in Maternal and Child Populations

Tuesday, Jan. 21

Join Association of State and Territorial Health Officials (ASTHO) for a live virtual event on the use of telehealth to improve access to SUD treatment in maternal and child populations. This presentation will increase attendee's knowledge of telehealth continuity of care and will focus on the four modalities of telehealth and how they can be leveraged to improve care.

Telehealth and behavioral health experts will present on how they have used telehealth in their organizations for provider workforce development and to improve health outcomes for maternal and child populations.

For more information and to register for this webinar, click here.

Webinar: Struggles and Strategies for Survival Beyond the Walls of Jail

Thursday, Jan. 30

The National Network of Libraries of Medicine will host "Struggles and Strategies for Survival Beyond the Walls of Jail webinar." In this webinar attendees will have the opportunity to hear a personal recount of an individual's substance use disorder journey and incarceration as well



as the current work being done in the community to address the addiction crisis.

Resource: U.S. Department of Health Human Services Office of Minority Health - Reentry Resources



Reentry is the transition from incarceration – life in prison, jail, or juvenile justice facilities – to life in the community. Although returning to the community may be inevitable, successful reentry and reintegration are not. The health sector, therefore, has an important role to play in supporting formerly incarcerated individuals to address their health needs. Access to health care and improved health

status may also lead to improved opportunities for employment, housing, and family support.

The purpose of this webpage is to provide a consolidated location for available reentry resources for returning citizens and their families.

For more information about these resources, click here.

Event: Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration's 16th Prevention Day



Monday, Feb. 3

The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration's (SAMHSA) will have its 16th Annual Prevention Day. This exciting one-day event will bring together prevention practitioners, community leaders, researchers and consumers in the behavior health field.

Prevention Day will feature SAMHSA leadership discussing prevention priorities for the coming year. Other dynamic speakers will discuss evidence-based preventive interventions and findings from the latest developments in the areas of substance abuse prevention, treatment, recovery, and mental illness.

For more information and to register for this event, click here.

Event: 2020 Health Datapalooza Conference

Monday, Feb. 10 - Tuesday, Feb. 11

Join the Academy Health as they host The Health Datapalooza that was born out of the federal government's commitment to open data.



Attendees will find meaningful collaboration and face-to-face conversations between influential policymakers, from all levels of government, and innovators and change makers about the big ideas, big opportunities, and policy hurdles for improving health and health care. This will be a unique experience for everyone.

For more information and to register, <u>click here</u>.

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